MEMORANDUM

TO: All Interested Parties

FROM: Staff of the Illinois Commerce Commission

DATE: August 15, 2001

RE: Notice of Workshops: Timeline for the Implementation of the Requirements

Outlined in HB2900

HB 2900 was passed by the 92nd General Assembly and then signed into law on June 28, 2001 by Governor George Ryan. Since that time, the Commission and Staff have been working to develop a comprehensive list of the Sections that require action by the Commission. A preliminary list is complete and a tentative timeline has been finalized.

Staff would now like to formally gather feedback on this schedule from all interested parties at a workshop to be held at:

9:00 am Central Time, Thursday August 23, 2001 in the

James R. Thompson Center 100 West Randolph Street Chicago, Illinois Room 8032

Any written comments that parties wish to provide after the workshop will be accepted through August 30th. Staff will brief the Commissioners at the pre-bench meeting on September 11, 2001 regarding the feedback received during the workshop and the written comments provided by parties. The above-mentioned timeline and an agenda for this meeting are posted to the ICC Web site as separate documents.

Staff expects this meeting to end at approximately 4:00 p.m. Please contact Jonathan Feipel at 217-524-4226 with any questions concerning this meeting.